No. 06-278
Title: Deborah Morse, et al., Petitioners
v.
Joseph Frederick
Docketed: August 29, 2006
Lower Ct: United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit
Case Nos.: (03-35701)
Decision Date: March 10, 2006
Rehearing Denied: April 18, 2006
Questions Presented

~~Date~~	~~~~~~~~Proceedings and Orders~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
Jun 27 2006	Application (06A30) to extend the time to file a petition for a writ of certiorari from July 17, 2006 to September 15, 2006, submitted to Justice Kennedy.
Jul 12 2006	Application (06A30) granted by Justice Kennedy extending the time to file until August 28, 2006.
Aug 28 2006	Petition for a writ of certiorari filed. (Response due September 28, 2006)
Sep 27 2006	Consent to the filing of amicus briefs in support of either party received from counsel for the petitioners.
Sep 27 2006	Brief of respondent Joseph Frederick in opposition filed.
Sep 27 2006	Consent to the filing of amicus briefs in support of either party received from counsel for the respondent Joseph Frederick.
Sep 28 2006	Brief amici curiae of D.A.R.E. America, et al. filed.
Sep 28 2006	Brief amici curiae of National School Boards Association, et al. filed. (Distributed)
Oct 9 2006	Reply of petitioners Deborah Morse, et al. filed.
Oct 11 2006	DISTRIBUTED for Conference of October 27, 2006.
Oct 30 2006	DISTRIBUTED for Conference of November 3, 2006.
Nov 6 2006	DISTRIBUTED for Conference of November 9, 2006.
Nov 17 2006	DISTRIBUTED for Conference of November 21, 2006.
Nov 27 2006	DISTRIBUTED for Conference of December 1, 2006.
Dec 1 2006	Motion for leave to file amicus brief filed by National School Boards Association, et al. GRANTED.
Dec 1 2006	Petition GRANTED. The brief of petitioners is to be filed with the Clerk and served upon opposing counsel on or before 2 p.m., Friday, January 5, 2007. The brief of respondent is to be filed with the Clerk and served upon opposing counsel on or before 2 p.m., Friday, February 2, 2007. A reply brief, if any, is to be filed with the Clerk and served upon opposing counsel on or before 2 p.m., Friday, February 16, 2007.
Dec 8 2006	Consent to the filing of amicus briefs in support of either party or neither party received from counsel for the petitioners.
Dec 18 2006	Extension of time within which to file the joint appendix and petitioners' brief on the merits to and including January 16, 2006.
Dec 18 2006	Extension of time within which to file respondent's brief on the merits to and including February 20, 2007.
Jan 16 2007	Joint appendix filed.
Jan 16 2007	Brief of petitioner Deborah Morse, et al. filed.

Jan 16 2007	Brief amicus curiae of United States filed.
Jan 16 2007	Brief amici curiae of D.A.R.E. America, et al. filed.
Jan 16 2007	Brief amici curiae of National School Boards Association, et al. filed.
Jan 17 2007	SET FOR ARGUMENT ON Monday, March 19, 2007.
Jan 23 2007	Motion of the Solicitor General for leave to participate in oral argument as amicus curiae and for divided argument filed.
Jan 31 2007	Record received from U.S.C.A. for 9th Circuit. (1 envelope)
Feb 5 2007	CIRCULATED.
Feb 15 2007	Brief amicus curiae of Rutherford Institute filed. (Distributed)
Feb 19 2007	Brief amicus curiae of Liberty Counsel filed. (Distributed)
Feb 20 2007	Brief amicus curiae of Alliance Defense Fund filed. (Distributed)
Feb 20 2007	Brief amici curiae of Student Press Law Center, et al. filed. (Distributed)
Feb 20 2007	Brief amicus curiae of Liberty Legal Institute filed. (Distributed)
Feb 20 2007	Brief amicus curiae of Students for Sensible Drug Policy filed. (Distributed)
Feb 20 2007	Brief amicus curiae of Christian Legal Society filed. (Distributed)
Feb 20 2007	Brief amici curiae of National Coalition Against Censorship, et al. filed. (Distributed)
Feb 20 2007	Brief amicus curiae of American Center for Law and Justice filed. (Distributed)
Feb 20 2007	Brief of respondent Joseph Frederick filed. (Distributed)
Feb 20 2007	Brief amici curiae of Drug Policy Alliance, et al. filed. (Distributed)
Feb 20 2007	Brief amicus curiae of Lambda Legal Defense and Education Fund, Inc. filed. (Distributed)
Feb 20 2007	Brief amicus curiae of Center for Individual Rights filed. (Distributed)
Mar 5 2007	Motion of the Solicitor General for leave to participate in oral argument as amicus curiae and for divided argument GRANTED.
Mar 5 2007	Record received from U.S.D.C. of Alaska. (1 envelope)
Mar 12 2007	Reply of petitioners Deborah Morse, et al. filed. (Distributed)
Mar 19 2007	ARGUED. For petitioners: Kenneth W. Starr, Los Angeles, California (20 minutes); and Edwin S. Kneedler, Deputy Solicitor General, Department of Justice, Washington, D.C. (10 minutes - for United States, as amicus curiae, supporting petitioners.) For respondent: Douglas K. Mertz, Juneau, Alaska (30 minutes